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## House Resolution No. 4123

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State youth who have challenged themselves through the diverse venues provided to them by participation in the Future Farmers of America organization; and

Whereas, Wes Reger of Princeton, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as a member of the FFA student organization; and

**Whereas**, Wes Reger will enhance his already impressive record of achievement when he is awarded the American FFA Degree at the 81<sup>st</sup> National Convention, which will be held in Indianapolis, Indiana, from October 22 to October 25, 2008; and

Whereas, Wes Reger has demonstrated impressive leadership abilities and outstanding achievements in agricultural business, production, processing, and service programs by earning the highest degree awarded by the National FFA organization; and

Whereas, the son of Greg and Dena Reger, Wes Reger will join an elite group composed of less than one in 165 FFA members who advance through their local chapter and state FFA degree programs to earn the American FFA Degree; and

Whereas, a student at Northeastern Oklahoma A&M studying animal science, Wes Reger also has developed an exceptional reputation for accomplishments that include being a member of Phi Theta Kappa Honors Fraternity, a member and Captain of his school's varsity football team, a member and President of the local FFA Chapter, state winner and member of the Dairy Judging Team, an All-State Football Linebacker, as well as a member of the Associated Press and Coaches football teams; and

Whereas, the National FFA Convention is the nation's largest annual youth gathering and welcomes students, parents, and educators from across the United States:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the diverse achievements garnered down through the years by Wes Reger and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt congratulations upon receiving the American FFA Degree at the 81<sup>st</sup> National Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Wes Reger.

Offered by
Representative Jim Whorton
District No. 3
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,

Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4123, adopted September 15, 2008.